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VERIFIED PETITION OF  
NORTHERN INDIANA PUBLIC  
SERVICE CO. FOR APPROVAL  
OF A PURCHASED POWER  
TRACKER MECHANISM  
PURSUANT TO I.C. 8-1-2-42(a), et seq.

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INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

CAUSE NO. 42151


You are hereby notified that on this date the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

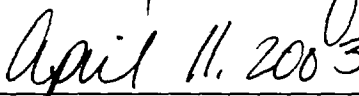
On March 21, 2003, Northern Indiana Public Service Company ("NIPSCO") filed an Amended Petition, which Petition is incorporated herein by reference.

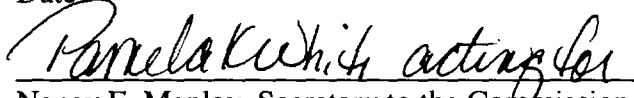
The presiding officers, having examined said Petition and being duly advised in the premises, now find that the schedule contained in the Petition should be implemented. NIPSCO filed its Supplemental Direct Testimony on April 1, 2003. The Office of the Utility Consumer Counselor and Intervenors should file their responsive testimony by May 1, 2003. NIPSCO should file its rebuttal evidence by May 15, 2003. The evidentiary hearing is not scheduled and the parties are to notify the presiding judge of a suggested hearing date as soon as they agree upon such date.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

  
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David E. Ziegner, Commissioner

  
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Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge

  
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Date

  
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Nancy E. Manley, Secretary to the Commission